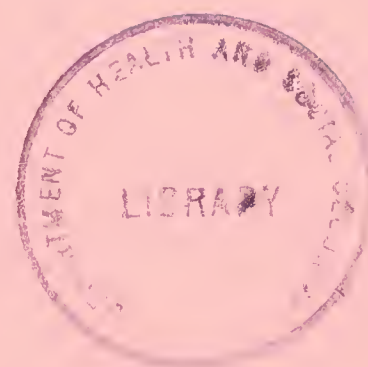


LEYBURN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
AND
PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

FOR THE YEAR

1971



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Robert Seeds

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ANNUAL REPORT
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MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
YEAR 1971

To The Chairman and Members of The Leyburn Rural District Council

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report of the Health of the District for 1971. The Report follows the same lines as previous Reports.

The state of health of the district is satisfactory. The main vital statistics are as follows. Birth Rate, adjusted by the comparability factor, 19.2, rather higher than that for England and Wales (16.0); Infant Mortality rate - (Deaths of Infants under one year per 1,000 births) - 30 higher than that for England and Wales (18); General Death Rate (adjusted) - 9.8, lower than that for England and Wales - 11.6. There were no maternal deaths and one stillbirth.

These statistics call for little comment and can be considered very satisfactory. The high infantile mortality rate is based on three deaths and is not significant. The main causes of death were heart disease (24) and disease of the blood vessels of the brain (18).

There were 51 cases of dysentery notified during the year. Fifty of these occurred in an outbreak in a private boarding school, among staff and pupils, during January and February. The remaining case was infected while on holiday abroad.

In December, Salmonella Para Typhi B was isolated from the Sewerage Disposal Works at Finghall. The Works had been kept under observation since the outbreak in 1970 and the effluent had been treated. The effluent was not found to be infected.

I am glad to be able to add that the carrier now appears to be no longer carrying the organism.

I would like to express my thanks to Mr. Seeds, the Public Health Inspector and his staff for their co-operation and assistance during the year.

I am,

Your obedient Servant,

H.R. Morrison,

Medical Officer of Health.

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SECTION (A)

STATISTICS AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS OF THE AREA

General Statistics

(a)	Area (in acres)	..	..	..	..	..	..	71,69
	Population (Registrar General's estimate of resident population - mid-year 1971	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,14
	Population - 1931 Census	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,85
	Population - 1951 Census	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,42
	Population - 1961 Census	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,13
	Number of Inhabited houses 1951	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,87
	Number of Inhabited houses 1971	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,30
	Rateable value of district	..	..	..	..	..	..	£172,88
	Produce of 1p rate	..	..	..	..	..	..	£1,58

(b)

Vital Statistics (as supplied by Registrar General)

	MALES			FEMALES		
	Total:	Legit:	Illegit:	Total:	Legit:	Illegit:
Live Births	52	51	1	49	48	1
Still Births	-	1	-	1	1	-
<u>INFANT DEATHS</u>						
Under 1 year	3	3	-	-	-	-
Under 4 weeks	3	3	-	-	-	-
Under 1 week	3	3	-	-	-	-

CLASSIFIED CAUSES OF DEATH

Causes of Deaths	Males	Females	Total
Malignant Neoplasm, Intestine	3	2	5
Malignant Neoplasm, Lung, Bronchus	2	-	2
Malignant Neoplasm, Prostate	3	-	3
Malignant Neoplasm, Stomach	1	-	1
Other Malignant Neoplasm	-	1	1
Ischaemic Heart Disease	10	9	19
Other forms of Heart Disease	3	2	5
Cerebrovascular Disease	12	6	18
Diabetes Mellitus	-	1	1
Leukaemia	1	-	1
Other Disease of Circulatory System	1	2	3
Intestinal Obstruction and Hernia	2	-	2
Other Infective and Parasitic Diseases	1	-	1
Pneumonia	2	-	2
Bronchitis and Emphysema	1	1	2
Other Disease of Respiratory System	1	-	1
Nephritis and Nephrosis	-	1	1
Birth Injury, Difficult Labour	3	-	3
All other accidents	-	2	2
Suicide and Self Inflicted Injuries	1	-	1
All other External Causes	-	-	-
Total deaths - all causes	47	27	74

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACTS 1948 & 1951

It was not necessary to take action under Section 47 of the above Act, which gives the Council power to remove to suitable premises, persons who are not able to devote to themselves and are not receiving from other persons, adequate care and attention.

SECTION (B)

GENERAL PROVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES IN THE AREA

1971-72

Details of the Staff are given at the beginning of the Report.

Laboratory Facilities

The Public Health Service Laboratory closed at the end of August, 1971. Since then Laboratory Facilities have been provided by the Hospital Laboratory, Friarage Hospital, Northallerton.

Ambulance Facilities

The North Riding of Yorkshire County Council supply Ambulance Services from their stations at Northallerton and Bainbridge.

Hospital Services

Local Hospital accommodation is provided by the Northallerton Hospital Management Committee of the Newcastle Regional Hospital Board. In addition, a number of residents in the Leyburn area receive both in-patient and out patient treatment at Darlington and Harrogate Hospitals.

Nursing in the Homes

The Home Nursing and Domiciliary Midwifery Service is under the general direction of the County Council, with day to day administration being dealt with by the Area Medical Officer. Four District Nurse/Midwives operate in the area. Two District Nurse/Midwives/Health Visitors, and two Generalised Duties Nurses operate in the area.

Home Help Service

This is provided by the County Council. The day-to-day administration being dealt with by the Area Medical Officer.

SECTION (C)

PREVALENCE AND CONTROL OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Infectious Diseases Notified	Males	Females	Total
Measles	-	2	2
Whooping Cough	-	1	1
Scarlet Fever	-	1	1
Food Poisoning	-	1	1
Dysentery	47	4	51

SECTION (D)

Water Supplies

Sewerage and Sewage Disposal

Refuse Disposal

) Details are to be found
) in the Public Health
) Inspector's section of
) this Report.

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

YEAR 1971

To the CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE LEYBURN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting my sixth Annual Report in conjunction with that of the Medical Officer of Health.

Reorganisation by amalgamation with some five or six adjoining districts now seems inevitable. Whilst I am sure that councillors and officials alike will ensure that the new district authority will function efficiently and satisfactorily, it seems to me to be the wrong time to be further robbing local government of some of its functions. The new enlarged authorities should be allowed to continue with all their existing undertakings including refuse and sewage disposal.

Preliminary work for the Leyburn Joint Sewage Purification Scheme and the Thornborough Aged Persons Unit has been done during the year but it is not anticipated that either of these schemes will actually commence until 1973.

The Constable Burton Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Scheme was completed during the year. I have never experienced a scheme where so little inconvenience was caused to the inhabitants and credit is due both to the contractor and the consultants.

Complaints regarding emission of dust from the quarries were few and investigations showed that breakdowns in machinery were rare, the main cause being shortage of water.

There was an increase from 35 in 1970 to 38 in 1971 in improvement grant applications, only one of these being refused.

After a decrease in private housebuilding in 1970, the tide again turned and 38 units were built this year against 22 units last year.

During the whole of the year work was carried out mainly monitoring of sewage disposal works and rechecking of cases in connection with the paratyphoid outbreak at Akebar. This again affected other work of the department and is reflected in the year's statistics.

Complaints concerning smell from silo units are becoming more numerous and are difficult to deal with. Public health legislation does not appear to have caught up with modern and accepted methods of farming. However if firm legislation were enacted, I can still see difficulty in enforcing it in a rural area.

I am again grateful to the outside staff for their co-operation and willingness to help at all times regardless of weather and other conditions.

May I again please record my thanks to Mr. A.J. Madin, Housing Manager and Mr. P. Fraser, Building Inspector for their assistance and support throughout the year.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

Robert Seeds

Surveyor and Public Health Inspector

Thornborough Hall,
Leyburn,
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Tel: Leyburn 3147/8

November, 1972

W A T E R S U P P L I E S

Water supplies for most parishes is supplied by the Northallerton and Dales Water Board. The 1967 Report contained comprehensive details.

254 water samples were submitted to the Public Health Laboratory at Northallerton for bacteriological examination and of these 222 were completely free from contamination. The Water Board were notified on the unsatisfactory samples and took the necessary action and follow-up samples were taken.

To present a complete picture of the sampling position this authority receives copies of reports from the North Riding County Council and the Water Board.

Information regarding fluoride content is not available.

The Leyburn Qu rries and an adjoining factory continued to complain of water shortage during the summer season. It is anticipated that this position will be further aggravated due to the amount of development planned for and progressing in Leyburn itself. To meet this demand a reservoir is planned at Thornton Steward to serve the lower dale and thus leave more water for this area. A new 10" main from Bellerby to Leyburn is under construction.

W A T E R

The number of dwellings for water laid on from public and parish mains and private undertakings, is as follows:-

P A R I S H.	Number of dwellings of parish	Number of houses with mains water inside	Houses using outside stand pipes	Houses with private water laid on (mainly forms)
Agglothorpe-with-Coverham	27	-	-	27
Akebar	8	8	-	-
Arrathorne	17	17	-	-
Bardon	15	13	1	1
Bellerby	110	107	-	3
Caldbergh-with-East Scrafton	17	12	-	5
Carlton Highdale	54	25	-	29
Carlton Town	64	60	-	4
Castle Bolton	33	-	-	33
Constable Burton	50	45	-	5
East Witton-Out	25	-	-	25
East Witton-In	75	66	2	7
Finghall	40	38	-	2
Garriston	6	1	-	5
Harmby	126	121	1	3
Hauxwell East	20	18	-	2
Hauxwell West	6	6	-	-
Hornby	33	26	-	7
Hunton	139	129	-	10
Hutton Hang	6	6	-	-
Leyburn	600	596	-	4
Melmerby	24	-	-	24
Middleham	286	283	-	3
Newton-le-Willows	107	107	-	-
Patrick Brompton	46	46	-	-
Preston-under-Scar	69	67	2	-
Redmire	86	86	-	-
Spennithorne	53	33	-	20
Thornton Steward	62	62	-	-
Wensley	62	17	-	45
West Scrafton	25	-	-	25
West Witton	132	100	-	32
TOTALS	2423	2098	6	319

HOUSING STATISTICS 1971

The number of dwellings erected during the year by private enterprise was 38, bringing the total erected since the war to 323.

6 Council bungalows at East Witton were completed.

The total number owned and built by the Council since 1945 is 335. Previous to 1945 the Council had erected 16 dwellings. Two private houses were converted to one Council house at Harmby, giving a total number of Council houses as 352 (see following table)

There were 26 private dwellings under construction at the end of 1971:-

Spennithorne	1
Leyburn	8
Harmby	1
Patrick Brompton	6
Middleham	2
Newton-le-Willows	7
Thornton Steward	1
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An unusual re-infestation of Council house (Airey type dwellings) roof spaces and wall cavities by bats recurred and was dealt with in co-operation with the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Overcrowding

No records are available. The present estimated average household size is 3.0 persons which would suggest that there is no overcrowding in the rural district.

Housing Applications

The Housing List includes a demand for some 66 dwellings (18 houses and 48 bungalows/flats) but this total includes a demand of 17 (5 houses, 12 bungalows/flats) from outside the district.

Clearance and Individual Unfit Houses

No areas are being dealt with under Slum Clearance. Individual unfit houses are dealt with as required, and informally if possible to encourage owners to accept grant aid for their improvement.

PRIVATE DWELLINGS CONSTRUCTED

AND PLANS DEPOSITED

Year	Dwellings	Plans Deposited
1959	9	63
1960	6	69
1961	7	53
1962	15	52
1963	17	54
1964	14	67
1965	14	80
1966	9	96
1967	17	119
1968	38	133
1969	52	137
1970	22	102
1971	38	122

H O U S I N G

DETAILS OF HOUSES ERECTED BY THE LEYBURN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

P a r i s h	Flats	4 B.R.	3 B.R.	2 B.R.	Bungalows	Total
Arrathorne	-	1	3	-	-	4
Bellerby	-	-	12	-	-	12
Constable Burton	-	-	10	-	-	10
East Witton	-	-	4	-	6	10
Finghall	-	-	12	-	-	12
Harmby	-	-	7	-	-	7
Hunton	-	-	10	-	9	19
Leyburn (Maythorne)	-	-	66	-	-	66
(Woodside)	8	2	15	3	31	59
(The Nurseries)	-	-	4	-	8	12
(Thornborough Hall)	-	-	2	-	-	2
Middleham	-	2	46	16	14	78
Newton-le-Willows	-	-	2	4	4	10
Patrick Brompton	-	-	2	-	-	2
Preston-under-Scar	-	1	2	-	-	3
Redmire	-	-	8	-	4	12
Spennithorne	-	-	14	-	2	16
Thornton Steward	-	-	4	-	-	4
Wensley	-	-	4	-	-	4
West Witton	-	1	7	-	2	10
TOTALS	8	7	234	23	74	352

H O U S I N G

Number of housing inspections made during the year	94
Number of houses visited during the year	68
Number of houses in which defects were made good	
(a) After Informal Notice	12
(b) After Formal Notice	NIL
Number of houses which were found to be unfit, but capable of repair	23
Number of houses which were unfit for human habitation	NIL
Houses closed	NIL
Houses demolished	NIL
Closing orders revoked	1

HOUSING (FINANCIAL PROVISIONS) ACT 1958
HOUSE PURCHASE AND HOUSING ACT 1959
(as amended 1961, 1964, 1969 & 1971)

37 applications by house owners to improve their dwellings with the aid of a grant were approved by the Council, one application was not approved.

13 Standard Grants were paid upon completion of the approved works at an average payment of £ 146.

8 Improvement Grants were also paid, average payment £ 643.

1 property was connected to the sewer and 1 to septic tank drainage. 4 houses were connected to water for the first time.

The following is a list of improvement grants completed in the last thirteen years:-

1959	25
1960	21
1961	40
1962	23
1963	20
1964	53
1965	57
1966	23
1967	35
1968	25
1969	22
1970	29
1971	21

TOTAL	<u>394</u>
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MOVEABLE DWELLINGS

Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act 1960

Number of licensed sites	6
Total caravans allowed on licensed sites	345
Number occupied during winter months	nil
Individual licensed caravans (1 unit)	6
Number occupied during winter months	4
Number of inspections	72

There are 3 Caravan Club certificated sites for five caravans which enjoy certain exemptions provided that certain undertakings are complied with. One of the licensed sites is also used for Caravan Club rallies.

The owners of the sites are aware of the necessity to provide additional and better facilities and there are proposals to provide another 145 pitches. There is also a plan to provide a camping site adjoining a licensed caravan site and this will be the only officially recognised tenting site within the rural district.

One of the permanent sites is proposing to construct a new access from the county highway.

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SCHEME

23 of the 32 Parishes are sewered and details of these are set out hereunder:-

Parish	Dwellings and other buildings served	Outlying properties not served
Arrathorne	14	3
Bellerby	102	6
Carlton Town	57	8
Carlton Highdale	22	21
Castle Bolton	24	9
Constable Burton	39	12
Finghall	32	7
Harmby	112	8
Hauxwell	20	6
Hornby	26	9
Hunton	124	20
Leyburn	570	17
Melmerby	20	2
Middleham	263	6
Newton-le-Willows	94	8
Patrick Brompton	43	4
Preston-under-Scar	66	4
Redmire	82	3
Spennithorne	50	2
Thornton Steward	47	13
Wensley	50	12
East Witton Town	66	17
West Witton	121	14
TOTALS	2038	211

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SCHEMES

There are 9 parishes which cannot be sewered economically and these are:-

Akebar
Agglethorpe-with-Coverham
Barden
Carlbergh with East Scrafton
~~Garriston~~
Hauxwell West
Hutton Hang
Scrafton West
East Witton Without (Jervaulx)

There are about 123 properties in these 9 parishes, the great majority of which drain to their own private septic tanks. Two houses were converted to the water carriage system during the year.

The scheme for sewerage and sewage disposal for Constable Burton was commenced at the end of January and completed to satisfaction well ahead of schedule in August.

Leyburn town works are grossly overloaded and the same remarks apply to Middleham to a lesser degree. The East Witton disposal works are completely out of date. Instead of having separate schemes, the consultants have been asked to consider the possibility of a joint disposal scheme, also to include the parish of Harmby which would alleviate overloading at Spennithorne disposal works which although just over 10 years old are already working to capacity.

Infiltration at Leyburn and Middleham continued to be investigated and recording instruments were installed at both works in connection with the proposed joint scheme.

The Council now has 20 sewage disposal works to maintain. With the limited labour and transport available and also because the staff have to assist when required on other duties, this maintenance is not as good as it might be. The workmen are to be complimented on their efforts in that only a few of the effluent samples have been unsatisfactory, and these have been mainly from the overloaded works.

The Yorkshire Ouse and Hull River Authority continued to sample effluent and when adverse results were obtained, remedial measures were immediately carried out. The department continued to work very closely with the River Authority Officers.

Outside contractors have had to be engaged again at Leyburn to dispose of the sludge and this is increasingly becoming more of a problem.

The demolition of the old Castle Bolton works and reinstatement of the land was completed during the year.

CLOSET ACCOMMODATION AND DRAINAGE

Number of houses with water carriage system 2325

Number of houses without water carriage system 47

Number of conversions during the year 2

P L A N S

122 plans were considered during the year. Details are shown in the table below:-

	New Build- ings	Alter- ations to Dwellings	Garages and Sheds	Cow Sheds and Dairies	Other Build- ings	Total
Agglethorpe	-	-	-	1	-	1
Bellerby	-	5	-	1	-	6
Coverham	-	-	-	-	1	1
Castle Bolton	-	1	-	1	-	2
Carlton Highdale	-	-	-	2	-	2
Carlton Town	-	6	3	1	1	11
East Witton	1	-	1	-	-	1
Finghall	-	-	-	2	-	2
Harmby	1	1	1	-	1	4
Hauxwell	-	1	-	-	-	1
Hunton	2	2	-	1	-	5
Leyburn	14	6	14	-	5	39
Melmerby	-	2	-	-	-	2
Middleham	5	3	2	-	-	10
Newton-le-Willows	2	1	1	-	-	4
Patrick Brompton	8	1	-	1	-	10
Preston	1	-	-	-	-	1
Redmire	1	-	1	-	-	2
Spennithorne	-	2	-	-	-	2
Swinnithwaite	-	-	1	-	-	1
Scotton	-	-	1	-	-	1
Thornton Steward	1	2	-	-	-	3
Wensley	-	3	-	1	-	4
West Witton	1	4	-	-	-	5
West Scafton	-	-	-	2	-	2
TOTALS	37	40	24	13	8	122

MEAT INSPECTION

There is only one licensed slaughterhouse and this is a private one.

There are seven butchers' shops in the District. Six of these butchers buy meat from the large abattoirs in adjoining districts. The animals passing into the private slaughterhouse are all reared locally and the meat is of good quality. Meat is inspected on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

Arrangements for meat inspection during annual holidays are made with Aysgarth R.D.C. and these are reciprocal.

CARCASES AND OFFALS INSPECTED DURING 1970

	Beasts	Sheep	Pigs
Number of visits - 94			
Number killed - 556	84	301	171
<u>CONDEMNATIONS</u>			
Whole Carcases	-	-	-
Parts of Carcases or Organs or Organs	6 72 lbs.	12 52 lbs.	7 36 lbs.

INSPECTIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

	Inspection	Informal Notices	Not Complied With	Statutory Notices	Not Complied With
Housing	94	12	-	-	-
Slaughterhouses	94	-	-	-	-
Public Health Acts	53	34	-	-	-
Food Hygiene	65	9	-	-	-
TOTALS	306	55	-	-	-

FOOD & DRUGS ACT 1955

The total number of food premises of all kinds in the district is 100 - made up as follows:-

Bakers	2	Cafes	9
Grocery	29	Fish	1
Sweets	4	Greengrocers	4
Hotels	26	Confectioners	2
Butchers	7	Fish Friers	2
Ice Cream Retailers	33	Licensed Clubs	1
Milk Depots, Wholesale	1	Milk Depot, Retail	2
Chemists	2	School Canteens	11
Boarding Schools	1	O.P. Homes	1

(Please note:- Some premises have more than one use)

No. of premises fitted to comply with Regulation 16	-	100%
No. of premises to which Regulation 19 applies	-	100%
No. of premises fitted to comply with Regulation 19	-	100%

FOOD HYGIENE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS 1960

65 visits were made to premises used for the handling, preparing or selling of food during the year. There was little to complain about so far as cleanliness of the premises was concerned and the cleanliness of the workers was generally satisfactory.

There are no poultry processing premises within the district. One old-fashioned out-dated bakehouse is being modernised.

Preparations for the Food Hygiene Campaign 1972 in conjunction with the N.R.C.C. were commenced.

DISPOSAL OF UNSOUND FOOD

Unsound meat from the slaughterhouse is taken away by contractors each Wednesday. It is processed and converted into fertilisers and animal foods. Food from retail shops was condemned as follows:-

Tinned Ham - 41 lb.
Frozen Food - Value £16.80

MILK SUPPLIES

Samples for brucella abortus - NIL

PUBLIC CLEANSING

REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL

Leyburn and Middleham have a weekly collection and the rest of the area is collected fortnightly. Only the isolated properties are not collected but these are being added to the scheme wherever possible.

The average daily number of premises from which refuse is collected is now over 300 and there is an ever-increasing number of properties with two bins each. A five day week is in operation.

There is a large increase in bulk in trade refuse especially from grocer's shops.

A local garage now does the greasing and servicing of the vehicle which was renewed on 1st April, 1971.

Refuse disposal is at three tips and is semi controlled.

The new legislature for Heavy Goods Vehicle Drivers and the Plating and Inspection of vehicles will create difficulties especially to local authorities like ourselves with only one refuse collection vehicle.

Regarding Pay, Productivity and Incentive Bonus Schemes for Manual Workers, I am still unconvinced that such schemes can be applied to an authority like ours with such a small labour force. This authority pays an extra £1 in lieu of a bonus scheme.

A new lease has been agreed for Preston Tip.

The total cost of the service for 1971 was £6,557, an increase of £173 on the previous year.

SEPTIC TANK EMPTYING

14 householders requested the service of the tank emptying machine. The Council had to restrict this service to its own district. A private contractor is now available and besides working in adjoining districts, he is particularly useful at caravan sites during busy holiday periods.

RODENT CONTROL

In addition to maintaining sewage works, emptying cesspools, clearing blocked sewers and drains, our sewage works attendants undertake rat poisoning in private premises, at sewage works and on refuse tips. Inspections and treatments are as follows:-

Number of domestic premises inspected after notification	33
Number of agricultural premises inspected	4
Number of treatments carried out to above	27
Number of treatments carried out to other premises	Nil
Other visits regarding infestations	47

One severe infestation of rats at a grocer's shop had to be dealt with by a servicing company.

OFFICES, SHOPS AND RAILWAY PREMISES ACT 1963

REGISTRATIONS AND INSPECTIONS

Class of Premises	Number on Register	Inspections
Offices	25	16
Retail Shops	34	27
Warehouses	2	2
Catering Establishments	12	12
Fuel Depots	-	-
Number of visits of all kinds - 77	73	57
Unsatisfactory conditions Remedied - 3		

ANALYSIS OF EMPLOYEES

Class of Premises	Number Employed		TOTAL
	Males	Females	
Offices	46	42	88
Shops	23	62	85
Warehouses	4	-	4
Catering Establishments	-	39	39
Canteens	-	4	4
Fuel Storage Depots	-	-	-
TOTALS	73	147	220

FACTORIES ACT 1961

	Number on Register	Inspection s	Number of Written Notices	Occupiers Prosecuted
(1) Factories in which Section, 1,2,3,4 & 6 are to be enforced by Local Authority	-	-	-	-
(2) Factories not included in (1) which Section 7 is enforced by Local Authority	37	30	-	-
(3) Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by Local Authority	-	-	-	-

(b) DEFECTS

Sanitary Conveniences unsuitable or defective - 2
Remedied - 2

(c) OUTWORK - Nil

PUBLIC SWIMMING BATHS AND POOLS

N I L

COMMON LODGING HOUSES

N I L

PUBLIC HEALTH NUISANCES

Total number of inspections (excluding housing inspections)	53
Number of nuisances found	34
Number abated during year by:-	
(a) Informal action	32
(b) Statutory action	Nil
Abandoned vehicles	3

OFFENSIVE TRADES

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

The Council maintains conveniences at Leyburn, Middleham and Castle Bolton.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES VISITS

Visits miscellaneous	25
Specimen faeces	65
Specimen mud, stream, sewer and sewage tank	11
Disinfection of sewers and tanks	8

